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Public Sale.

On TUESDAY next,
at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the Venue Store,
RUM

In bbls. and bls. French Brandy in pipes,
Gin in pipes and bls.
Whiskey and Apple Brandy in bls.
Sagar in bbls. tierces and bls.
Chocolate
White and brown Soap and
Mould and dipt Candles
Raffins in kegs, boxes and jars,
Figs in kegs and fraills,
Queen's Ware in crates,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
&c. &c. Also,
A Variety of DRY GOODS,
among which are
Cloths, Coatings, Kersemeres,
Duffs, Flains, Kerseys, Negro Cottons,
Serges, Elafficks, blue Friezes,
Calmannes, Ruffels, Yarn Stockings,
Chintzes and Calicoes,
Yarn Linens, Stiffia do.
Quaburgs and Tickleburgs,
Mullin and Mullin Handkerchiefs,
India Mullins and Table Clothes,
Bandanna Handkerchiefs,
Coloured Threads, Hats and sundry other
articles.

Philip G. Marshall.

Nov. 12.

For Sale or Charter.

The Steamship sailing
Brig NANCY

about 1400 barrels burthen,
Has just had a thorough repair, is well found,
and will be at HEBURN'S Wharf, in a day or
two. For inventory or terms apply to
John M^cGowan, & Co,
City of Washington, or to
Lewis Deblois,
alexandria.
dtf.

Nov. 20

For Sale or Freight.

The Schooner
BETSEY,

Burthen eight hundred barrels;
Was built in eighteen hundred and
— And is without exception the best Schr.
belonging to the port—for terms apply to
Benjamin Shreve, jun.
dtf.

Dec. 14

For Freight or Charter

To Europe or the West-Indies,
THE BRIG
EQUATOR,

Burthen 230 hlds. For terms apply to the
master on board, or to
HUGH SMITH.
dtf.

Dec. 16.

44 bales **GERMAN GOODS,**
afforted,

And for Sale, on moderate terms,
Lately imported from Bremen by the way of
Baltimore.

ROBERT YOUNG.
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December 7.

JUST RECEIVED,

AND FOR SALE,

Two boxes Irish Linen—real Cole-
raines,
50 barrels prime Pork.

WM. HODGSON.
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November 28.

Russia Clean Hemp.

A few tons of the first quality for sale,
by
John. G. Ladd.
dtf.

Dec. 2.

400 barrels Corn,
70 boxes fresh Mulkatel and Bloom Raffins,
For Sale, by
Mandeville & Jamesson.
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December 5.

KILN-DRIED MEAL.

200 barrels of Corn Meal, well
dried, and in nice shipping order.
Apply to
MORDECAI MILLER.
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December 9.

Bills on Philadelphia,

At short sight,
In sums to suit purchasers, may be had if im-
mediate application is made to
Lawson & Fowle.
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December 5.

Sixty barrels New Prime Beef,

JUST RECEIVED,

And for Sale by

Henry K. May.
dtw

December 23.

20 Pipes very choice Madeira
Wine,
Imported in the Brig Active, from St. Bar-
toloews, and for sale by
R. Veitch & Co.
dt

December 21.

N^o 2. This Wine has lain a considerable time
in Well Indies.

15 hogsheads } Prime retailing Molasses
12 tierces }

20 bunches high proof Jamaica Rum
8 butts Mufest Wine
4 half butts Constantia do.
4 pipes fine old Brazil Madeira
12 boxes French Prunes
10 hogheads } New England Rum
15 barrels }

50 barrels Pennsylvania Rye Whiskey
6 casks refined British Salt-Petre
3 tierces Allom
50 boxes Mould and Dipt Candles
10 boxes Chocolate
Just received, and for sale, for cash or on the
usual credits.

Mandeville & Jamesson.
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December 21.

JUST RECEIVED,

And for Sale by the Subscriber,

100 ps. brown Russia Sheetings } Entitled to
100 do. Ravens Dock } Dbk. on Ex.
3 bales German Tickleburgs
50 bolts Russia Duck
100 barrels Boston Beef
30 do. Tanners Oil
400 casks Stone Lime
100 boxes mould and dipt Tallow Candles
6 pipes old real Cognac Brandy
West India and New England Rum
And a quantity of Mens, Womens and Childrens
SHOES.
John G. Ladd.
d

November 16.

Diffolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership hitherto subsisting under
the firm of **Joseph Riddle & Co.** of Alexandria,
was dissolved the first instant, by mutual con-
sent: All persons that are indebted to, or that
have claims on the same, are requested to come
forward and settle, as it is desirable to close the
concern as soon as possible. Those whose ac-
counts are of long standing are particularly re-
quested to attend to this notice, and make
payments to either of the subscribers.

JOSEPH RIDDLE,
Of Alexandria.

JAMES DALL,
Of Baltimore.

September 18.

JOSEPH RIDDLE

Has Received by the Ceres and other ships lately
arrived at Baltimore, a considerable part
of his

FALL GOODS;

Which are now opening at his store in Fairfax
Street, and daily expects an additional supply in
the United States from Liverpool.

September 28.

NOTICE.

AT a meeting of the President and Directors
of the Little River Turnpike Company,
at the house of John Gadsby, in the town of
Alexandria, December the 4th, 1865—

Ordered, That the Stockholders in the Little
River Turnpike Company do, and they are
hereby required to pay to the Treasurer of said
Company ten dollars on each share by them re-
spectively subscribed, on the first day of Febru-
ary, 1866—and the further sum of ten dollars
on each of their shares, on the first day of May
—and the further sum of ten dollars on each of
their shares, on the first day of July—and the
further sum of ten dollars on each of their shares,
on the first day of September—and the further
sum of ten dollars on each of their shares, on the
first day of November next ensuing the date
hereof.

Jonah Thompson, Treasurer.
December 13.

A NEW NOVEL.
Just Published, by **COTTON and STEWART,**
and for Sale, at their Store,
[PRICE ONE DOLLAR 75 CENTS.]
Fleetwood:
OR
The NEW MAN OF FEELING.
BY WILLIAM GODWIN.
September 18.

JAMES BACON,

At his GROCERY STORE, on King Street, has, in
addition to his former stock, added
A fresh Supply of Genuine Articles in
the Grocery Line;

Which makes his assortment complete.
He now offers for sale, on his usual low terms,
Muscovado Sugars, of various qua-
lities,
Loaf and Lump ditto,
Gunpowder,
Imperial,
Hyson,
Young Hyson,
Hyson Skin, and
Souchong
TEAS,
particularly selected
for
family use.

Best Green Coffee,
Chocolate, of a superior quality.
Madeira,
Bafellos,
Sherry,
Lithon,
Fenerife,
Malaga, and
Genuine Old Port

Cognac and Bourdeaux Brandy,
Old Jamaica Spirit, for family use,
Antigua, St. Croix, St. Vincent, and New-
England Rum,
Holland Gin,
Irish and country Whiskey,
Molasses, Wine, and Cider Vinegar,
Stoughton's Bitters.

Mace, Nutmegs, Cloves, Cassia, Pimento,
Cayenne and Black Pepper, Race and Ground
Ginger, Baker Salt for table use, Pearl Barley,
Rice, Starch, Fig-blue, Soap, Mould, Dipt and
Spermaceti Candles, Refined Salt-Petre, Florent
Indigo, Allom, Copperas, Madder, Brimstone,
Spinning Cotton, Patent Shot, all sizes, best
English and country-made Gunpowder, Segars,
and Smoking Tobacco, very best Chewing To-
bacco.

Hamilton and Leiper's Snuff, Hunter's Pipes
in boxes.
London Mustard, warranted of a superior qua-
lity, Dixon's best ditto, Wrapping-Paper, De-
mijohn's, &c. &c. with generally every article
in his line—the whole of which have been select-
ed with care and will be disposed of on the very
lowest terms.

December 16.

TUNIS CRAVEN,

Has received by the late arrivals an elegant as-
ortment of
GOODS,
—AMONG WHICH ARE—

London Superfine Cloths
and Cashmeres,
Bennett's patent Cords,
Do. Waitecoatings,
Silks, Molekins, Flo-
rentines,
Imperial, clouded and
white Marfeilles,
Toilinetts, Swandowns,
Flannels, rose Blankets,
Coatings, Plains,
Kerseys, Halthicks,
Lamb's Wool, Worsted,
Cotton and Silk Ho-
siers,
Irish & Flanders Sheet-
ings,
4 & 7 Irish Linens,
Shirting Cotton,
Long Lawns,
Linen Cambricks,
Dimities, Cambrick do.

Corded Cambricks,
Lace do,
Rich Colonade and fi-
gured India Muslins
India and British Book-
do,
Lace Caps & Handker-
chiefs,
Extra Silk Gloves,
Vic Nic Mitts,
Silk Cord and Buttons,
Cambrick Buttons,
Artificial Flowers and
Wreaths,
Ostrich Feathers,
Italian Menstraus,
Fine India Persians,
Bafas, Mamoodies,
Dowlas, Tickleburg,
Ofaburgs, Brown rolls
&c. &c.

He daily expects an additional
assortment of FALL GOODS.
Oct. 22.

Wanted immediately,
A quantity of **CHESNUT RAILS;**
For which cash will be given. Apply to
J. H. Hooe.
dtf

December 12.

TUNIS CRAVEN,

HAS FOR SALE
Best Havana SEGARS in boxes,
And a few Punchons
NEW-ENGLAND RUM.
November 13.

December 13.

JUST RECEIVED,

9 boxes—containing
500 pieces Platillas,
500 do. Britannias,
Entitled to drawback on exportation.
A L S O,
30 bbls and 5 hlds New Rum;
For Sale, by
John G. Ladd.
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December 13.

New Brewery.

Isaac Entwille and Co.

RESPECTFULLY informs the public, that
he has commenced Brewing, and will have
BEER ready for delivery in a few days, which he
hopes will please such as use it.

He will give the Baltimore and Phi-
ladelphia prices for good clean Bar-
ley.

Grain and Yeast may be had at the
Brewery.
December 20.

HENRY K. MAY

Has received, per Bag Equator, Moore, from
New-Castle, and offers for Sale, if immedi-
ately applied for;
80 casks Red Lead,
38 casks Patent Shot,
18 casks Ingot Lead; and
35 sheets Milled do.

December 18.

Mandeville and Jamesson,

OFFER FOR SALE,

For Cash, Produce, or on the usual Credit;
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
LIQUORS & GROCERIES,
Consisting of

Muscovado Sugars, of various qua-
lities.
Philadelphia and Alexandria Loaf and Lump
ditto.

Jamaica,
St. Vincent, and } In hlds. &c.
N. E. Rum,
Old Jamaica Spirit, for family use,
Peach and Apple Brandy,
Cognac and Bourdeaux do.
Holland and Country Geneva,
70 barrels strong and fine flavored Rye Whis-
key.

WINE S.
Madeira,
Sherry,
Old Port,
Lithon,
Malaga, and
Teneriffe

40 casks St. Ruff Medoc Claret,
1 butt old 4th proof Irish Whiskey,
100 casks West Schiedam Gin.
A few hogheads of choice Molasses,
Tennessee and Georgia Cotton.

Gunpowder,
Imperial,
Hyson,
Young Hyson,
Souchong,
Hyson-Skin, and
Bohea

Green Coffee, Chocolate, Pearl Barley, Rice,
Starch, Vig-blue, Soap, Mustard, Rappee and
Scotch Snuff.

SPICES—Pimento, Pepper, Cloves, Cassia,
Nutmegs and Mace.
Ginger, race and ground.
Florent and Orleans Indigo, Madder, Cop-
peras, Allom and Brimstone.
Patent Shot, assorted, from BB to No. 9.
Bar Lead, Hunter's Pipes, Rees Wax, Wrap-
ping Paper, Demijohns, Refined Salt Petre,
Chalk,

Mould and Dipt Candles.
British Gunpowder of various qual-
ities from F to treble bauble.
October 18.

Notice is hereby given,
To the Stockholders of the Bank of Alexandria,
THAT an election will be held at the Court
House in this town, on the third Monday
in January next, for the purpose of electing 9
directors of the Bank for the ensuing year agree-
ably to charter.

Gurden Chapin, Cashr.
Dec. 16.

Mr. Davis of Richmond, Mr. Green of Fre-
dericksburg, and Mr. Bowen of Winchester, will
please insert the above four weeks in their re-
spective news-papers.

TEN DOLLARS Reward.
Left the Little River turnpike road, about the
10th of September last,
A Negro Man named **JACOB,**
belonging to the heirs of Thomas Mason, de-
ceased. He is about 50 years of age, well made,
about 5 feet 10 inches high, dark complexion,
his head tolerably grey. Whoever takes up said
Negro and delivers him to me or one of the over-
seers on the turnpike road, near Alexandria,
shall receive the above reward and all reasonable
charges, by
JOSEPH POWELL, Agent
for the Little River Turnpike Company.
October 24.

DOCUMENTS

Accompanying a message from the President of the United States—Comprising, at full length, all the papers not previously inserted in the National Intelligencer.

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(Continued.)

AFFIDAVIT, No. 8.

Territory of Orleans, County of Point Coupee, Sept. 5, 1805.

On this day appeared before me, Ebenezer Cooley, justice of the peace for the county of Point Coupee, Adam Bingham, who being duly sworn, declared, that on the night of the 3d instant at a very late hour, he was one of a party commanded by captain Alston, and stationed within a few yards of the line of demarkation, at the Spanish side, for the purpose, as declared by captain Alston, of seizing the Kemper, who were expected to come from the American territory. That at the distance of about 50 yards above the line, he saw a party approach who were hailed by captain Alston, to whom they delivered three prisoners. The party to which the deponent belonged was then ordered by captain Alston to conduct the prisoners to Bayou Tunica, where the prisoners were put on board a piroque and ordered off for Baton Rouge, at about day break on the fourth. That as they were passing opposite the port at Point Coupee their piroque was boarded by lieutenant Wilson, with a party of his men, who took the prisoners and their conductors into custody.

(Signed)

ADAM BINGMAN.

Done before me.

(Signed)

EBENEZER COOLEY,

Justice of the Peace.

AFFIDAVIT, No. 9.

Territory of Orleans, County of Point Coupee, Sept. 5, 1805.

On this day appeared before me, Ebenezer Cooley, justice of the peace for the county of Point Coupee, William Barker, who being duly sworn, declares:

That on the night of the 3d instant, he was one of a party of militia commanded by captain Alston, which party was stationed for about two hours within a few paces of the line of demarkation on the Spanish side. That they heard a noise which was made at a short distance above the line, and soon after saw a party cross the line, who delivered to captain Alston three prisoners, whose names were Reuben, Nathan, and Samuel Kemper. Capt. Alston ordered the prisoners to be immediately conducted to the Bayou Tunica, where they were put into a piroque to be conveyed to Baton Rouge; that deponent was commanded by captain Alston to keep a strict watch on them, and to give them no opportunity of escaping until he should deliver them at the fort of Baton Rouge; that as deponent was passing opposite the garrison of Point Coupee, his piroque was taken by a superior force commanded by lieutenant Wilson, commandant of the garrison of Point Coupee, who took into custody the prisoners, and the party by whom they were conducted.

(Signed)

WILLIAM BARKER.

Sworn before me, this 5th day of Sept. 1805.

(Signed)

EBENEZER COOLEY,

Justice of the Peace.

AFFIDAVIT, No. 10.

Mississippi Territory, ss.

Be it remembered, that William Flanagan, jun. of Wilkinson county, in said territory, personally appeared before the undersigned, one of the superior judges for said territory, and being of lawful age, upon his oath deposed and saith, that lieutenant Glascock, and a party of twelve light horse, being part of captain Jones' company or squadron of Spanish light horse, on the afternoon of the 21st day of August last, came over the line of demarkation to this deponent's house, which is on the Tichfau creek, about two miles above the line, and took him and his wife and carried them about five miles below the line, and kept them under guard all night, and next morning dismissed his wife who was taken home by her brother, who had been sent after them by her father. That after she was dismissed they carried this deponent 15 miles further, and told him he must go to jail or give up his horse. He refused to give up his horse till they cooked their guns

and pistols all round him, there being eight of them then present, and said he must pay their expences, give up his horse, or go to jail. He replied he had rather lose his horse than go to jail. Whereupon they took his horse, bridle and saddle and dismissed him, and he returned home on foot. The names of the men who composed said party of eight horse were John Glascock, lieutenant Benjamin Le Near, also an officer, Abraham Jones, son of the captain Kennedy, William Lee, John Bates, Hale, Obiel Brewer, Conner, and the names of the others he does not recollect; and further says that most of the party were formerly American refugees who fled to the Spanish country, and further saith not.

(Signed)

WILLIAM FLANAGAN.

Taken this 7th day of September, 1805, at the town of Washington, in the territory aforesaid, before

(Signed)

THOMAS RODNEY.

NOTE.—The within deponent, Thomas Holden, says, that it was reported that William Flanagan, sen. had killed a certain John Sharp, as within mentioned, and had fled from the Spanish part of the country, and that his wife, after he had fled, also left the country, and brought their stock and goods above the line, and left them in the care of William Flanagan, jun. who was nephew to Wm. Flanagan, sen. and son-in-law to said Thomas Holden, and that this was the only pretext the Spanish light horse had for coming above the line and behaving as they did.

(Signed)

THOMAS RODNEY.

AFFIDAVIT, No. 11.

Mississippi Territory, ss.

Be it remembered, that Thomas Holden sen. of the county of Wilkinson, in said Territory, personally appeared before the undersigned, one of the superior judges of said territory, and being sworn, deposed and saith, that he lives in said county, on the Tichfau, about half a mile above the line of demarkation, upon land which he claims by pre-emption, and now cultivates; that on the afternoon of the 21st day of August last, lieutenant John Glascock, and 12 men of the Spanish light horse, part of Capt. Jones' company or squadron, of West Florida, came over the line of demarkation to this deponent's house, and enquired for Wm. Flanagan, sen. who had lived about seven miles below the line, in the Spanish territory, and as they said, had killed a certain Joseph Sharp, also a Spanish subject, and said that they were in pursuit of said Flanagan, and enquired of this deponent if he had seen Flanagan, or knew where he was. This deponent replied that he had not seen him for six months, but heard that Flanagan and his family had gone up to the Bayou Pierre. When said company came up, this deponent was sitting on his fence, about fifty yards from his house, and after what had passed as before related, an officer among them by the name of Le Near, ordered this deponent to go to his own house, saying that he should put him and his family under guard. To which this deponent replied that he would not be put under guard by him, unless he had authority from the United States or the officers of this territory to do so. Whereupon the officer drew his sword or dirk, and threatened to run this deponent through in an instant if he did not submit. Then one of the company cocked his little pistol, but said nothing. Then Glascock came up with a rifle in his hand, and ordered the deponent to go along instantly, or he would make him. This deponent replied, that he would not go; that they had no business above the line, and ordered them to go below where they belonged. Le Near replied to this, that his authority was above the line, as well as below.

Damn the line he did not regard it, and other words to that purpose. After this, the party went off, and left this deponent. But before they went off, two of this deponent's sons came up, and he told them what had passed, and ordered them to go to the house and get the guns, and they would kill all the damned Spaniards, for they had no business above the line, and upon saying this the party left him. And he further saith not.

(Signed) THOMAS HOLDEN, sen.

Taken this 7th day of September, 1805, at the town of Washington, in said territory, before

(Signed)

THOMAS BROWN.

LETTER No. 8.

Captain Sparks to the gov. of the Mississippi Territory.

PORT ADAMS, Sept. 7, 1805.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward you dispatches from capt. Wilson, at Point Coupee. If it should be your wish to have the party therein referred to, taken to this place, to be delivered over to the civil authority, the command of one subaltern and twenty five men I have sent from this post to reinforce capt. Wilson, will be instructed to execute it.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

R. SPARKS.

Captain commandant.

His excellency Robert Williams, esq. governor of the Mississippi territory.

LETTER, No. 5.

The governor of the Mississippi territory to captain Sparks, commanding at Fort Adams.

NATCHEZ, Sept. 9th, 1805, 10 o'clock at night.

SIR,

AS I was starting from Washington to this place, I received your letter of the 7th inst. with a dispatch from capt. Wilson.

My answer to capt. Wilson I have sent open for your perusal, which I pray you to forward immediately.

I request that you will retain and safely keep under military authority the party that may be sent to you, agreeably to my directions to captain Wilson, until they are received by the civil authority.

Accept my hearty approbation of your and captain Wilson's attention on this occasion.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ROBERT WILLIAMS.

Captain Richard Sparks, commanding at Fort Adams.

(To be continued.)

THE EPISTLE

From a yearly meeting held in London, by adjournment, from the 22d to the 31st of the fifth month, 1805, inclusive to the quarterly and monthly meeting of friends in G. Britain, Ireland and elsewhere.

Dear Friends,

WE trust that through the continued mercy and assistance of the head of the church; we have not met in vain in this our annual assembly; because in contemplating the present state of our religious society, we have been enabled to attend to various subjects in which its welfare is involved, with calm deliberation, with the warmth of love, and with much harmony of mind.

Some of the views which have at this time opened before us, we shall briefly attempt to unfold to you; saluting you as we cordially do, in the love of our gracious and holy redeemer and preserver.

Friends on all occasions, in every strait, in heights and in depths, seek to Him, retire to Him; let the advancement of his cause be your primary pursuit—and count it as a privileged inestimable, to be numbered among his lowly minded followers.

We have received epistles from all the yearly meetings of our North American brethren; also one from Ireland. On the American continent our friends appear in their collective capacity, to be steadily pursuing the path of apprehended duty, in the cause of righteousness; and amidst all the discouragement which they, as well as we in this island, have met with from cruel aversion, in pleading the cause of the oppressed Africans, it still lies near to their hearts; and a firm, forcible, yet cool remonstrance, on behalf of that people has been not long since presented to the general legislative body of the American states. The dismal subject of the slave trade, the source of accumulating misery to Africa, of accumulating guilt to Britain—and of continued reproach to the holy religion, which in common with our countrymen we profess, has also claimed our sympathy in this meeting; and we desire our friends may be individually prompt to entertain for these our fellow-men the sensations of pity which on various occasions may arise. Where friends shall we find a juster cause of regret, than to see a nation professing christianity, pouring forth from her harbours numerous equipments, not designed to improve or exalt, but to degrade, enslave, and consign to misery those very nations which, in recompense for ages of injury and insult, she owes the

benefits of brotherly kindness and christian example!

The usual accounts which we have received from the several quarterly meetings in Great Britain, denote that all are steadily concerned to walk as becomes the simplicity of our profession. We have been introduced into concern of mind on the account; and have endeavoured to administer some remedy for the complaint. We desire also to acknowledge, that we find room for encouragement in the number of lively and judicious friends still preserved and qualified for labor and of others (thanks to the Shepherd and Bishop-souls) still rising from among our beloved youth. To both these we would say, hold on your way, and may your hands be strengthened as your reward is sure.

The amount of sufferings this year in Great Britain and Ireland is ten thousand eight hundred and eleven pounds. Demands of a military nature have occasioned about sixteen hundred pounds of it; and one friend has borne his testimony by suffering three months imprisonment.

Now, dear friends, hear, we beseech you the word of exhortation. What hinder the advancement of our society in its christian progress, seeing the holy High Priest of our profession is willing to lead us to complete sanctification? What, but the carnal mind operating in various and specious forms? We do not tax all who embark in large concerns in trade with an undue desire after riches; but we much fear the effect, which their schemes are likely to have upon themselves and their connections as affecting their condition both religious and civil, is not duly regarded. The love of money is said in scripture to be the root of all evil; and we believe it may be shown that honest industry and moderation of desire are roots of incalculable benefit to the humble christian. We feel for many of our friends in limited circumstances in this day of increased and possibly increasing expence; but we would caution such, and particularly those who are settled out in life, against imitating the manner of living of those whose means are more abundant. We wish, friends, to call you not to penuriousness, but to economy and we particularly desire that all such have families of children, even if in affluent circumstances, would insure to early industry, and not to habits of depending too much on the services of domestics. For this latter, and useful desire we also desire to plead, and request of those who have the privilege of ability to employ them to sympathise with them in their labors, to delight to render them help, and even to seek for that disposition which can lead them along in safety, as low-travellers in the road to the city of God. Various are the means by which this may be attempted. The principal certainly is, the keeping of the mind tentative to the discoveries of truth; seeing, we doubt not, that a perusal of scriptures is the frequent employ of families, we desire that the servants of the Lord be made partakers of the benefits resulting from the practice, and from occasional opportunities of retirement in spirit. In we are afresh engaged to press upon friends a diligent acquaintance with the sacred cords; and a diligent endeavor to subvert the minds of their tender offspring to the great truths of christian redemption. In so doing, you may implant in the capable and retentive minds of your children, principles of preservation against temptations of future life; and rescue those of old times, who, smitten with power and goodness of the Lord, and glory, when personally on earth, said to have brought with divine apparition, little children to Christ. The blessed with a knowledge of the wonderful effects of heavenly love which the angels relate, they will be prepared to receive his spiritual appearance in hearts, according to our holy profession, as well as to appreciate and delight in the records of the christian faith and life of our pious predecessors. With history also we think it important that youth should be more acquainted, than fear many are. It is a history about which examples of what the love of God is able to effect, in doing or in suffering. It is a practical comment on the words of the great apostle: "Who shall separate from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famines, nakedness, or peril, or sword?" In all these things we are more than conquerors, thro' him that loved us. We are persuaded that neither death, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

On the calamitous subject of war we

not feel now much to say. Friends,

not ignorant of what adorns our profession with respect to this subject. Only would we say, make it not a topic of conversation. Guard against placing your dependence on fleets and armies; be peaceable yourselves, in words and actions; pray to the Father of the universe that he would breathe the spirit of reconciliation into the hearts of his erring and contending creatures.

Friends, seek peace, and pursue it. We are called to love. O that the smoldering germ of enmity might be eradicated from the earth! And verily there is a power which it cannot live; but naturally it dies. This soil is christianity. A state highly becoming and commendable for a being who depends continually on the favour of his Lord; a state which all others he can most accurately approach his presence; and a state which naturally conducts frail man to love, compassion, for the companions of his frailty and poverty yet his fellow-part of the offered riches of the Gospel.

Dear friends, we believe that the goodness is still towards his people that his language to them yet remains similar to that, which of old was conveyed by the prophet, "O that there were sinners in them that they would fear me, keep my commandments always; that I might be well with them, and their children forever!"

Signed in and on behalf of the meeting

JOSEPH GURNI

by Clerk of the Meeting this

Seeing a sufficient number of the

cles, which from time to time this

is concerned to issue, is printed for

family in the society to have them, it

particularly requested that these epistles

solidly read at some convenient

times, in each family collected together

[N. B.—This Note not to be

Meetings.]

* Rom. viii. 35, 37—39.

† Deut. v. 29.

FALMOUTH, (Jam.) Oct 2

The ship Experiment sailed for

port on Sunday morning, for Monte

to take in a part of her cargo for New

at 2 P. M. when about six miles to

of the harbor, a sloop privateer was

served in chase of her under Spanish

gaining upon her so fast that captain

cref finding it impossible to escape

ed his American colors and hove to,

the shore that we could see the

the privateer full of men, board

possession of her; after which the

all sail to the northward, the private

ing ahead a little to windward of

periment. At this time there was

in sight, coming down before the

directly for this port, and which

nately proved to be his majesty

Wolf; the signal was made at

battery for an enemy to leeward,

swered by her, and all sail imm

made after the ship and privateer

time the enemy had not been in

on off the Experiment more than

PUBLIC SALE.

On **TUESDAY** next, will be sold, at the Vendue Store,
A Negro Man, of about thirty-seven years of age.
 He is a good day-man, and accustomed to plantation work.

Philip G. Marshall.

December 26.

FOR SALE.

THAT large and convenient **WAREHOUSE** AND **LOT OF GROUND**, situate on the South side of King-street, late the property of **Charles Thibault**, deceased; adjoining Messrs. R. & W. Richardson's. The House fronts 25 feet, and in depth 70 feet, subject to a rent of sixty-seven and a half dollars. For terms apply to

W. GORE, or
 A. SCHOLFIELD.

If the above Property should not be sold prior to the first day of January next, it will on that day be offered at Auction, on a credit of ninety days.

Philip G. Marshall.

December 24.

SALT.

2000 bushels fine Liverpool SALT,
JUST ARRIVED.

And for sale from on board the brig President by

JOHN TUCKER,

Who has on hand,

20 bbls. New-York prime **PORK**,

30 do. **POTATOES**.

50 bbls. Mulcovada **SUGAR**

100 bbls. do. do.

30 do. choice **HERRINGS**

A few bags **COFFEE**

Imperial,

Hylon,

Young Hylon &

Hylon Skin

2 pipes old Cognac **BRANDY**, &c.

N. B. Cash given for **FLAXSEED**.

November 15.

The Subscriber has for Sale, at his

Store,

FRENCH BRANDY, in pipes

Sugar, by the barrel

Cider and Apples, by the barrel

Soft shell'd Almonds, by the frail

70 boxes of Mulkatel Raisins

6 boxes of large Prunes

700 bushels Rhode-Island Potatoes

20 bushels do. do.

3000 wt. Rhode-Island Cheese; part of a

superior quality

Large New-York Cabbage-heads

Green Grapes, in jars

Candles and Soap, in boxes

A parcel of excellent Flax

First rate Cavendish Tobacco

Sweet Oranges, Limes and Lemons—and a

general assortment of Groceries.

A Willis.

December 21.

NOTICE.

THE Stock-Holders in the Marine Insurance

Company, of Alexandria, are informed,

that an election for fifteen Directors to manage

the affairs of the said Company for the year en-

suuing, will be held at the court-house, in Alex-

andria, the 15th of next month.

By order of the Directors,

Wm. Hartthorne, President.

12th mo. 24.

Mr. Green, Frederickburg; Mr. Da-

vis, Richmond; Mr. Bowen, Winchester; are

requested to insert the above two weeks in their

respective papers.

NOTICE.

AT a meeting of the President and Directors

of the Little River Turnpike Company,

at John Gadsby's, in the town of Alexandria,

on the 5th December, 1805—

Resolved, That the treasurer notify the stock-

holders in the Little River Turnpike Company,

who have not paid up the several calls due from

them, that the situation of the work will not

admit of further indulgence; and that he cause le-

gal proceedings to be had against all those who

fail to make immediate payment—and that he

publish this resolution in one of the newspapers

of Alexandria, Leesburg, and Winchester.

True copy.

Levin Powell, President.

Dec. 6.

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the above. It is also the most modern as the Edition

from which this was taken, was published in London,

May 1805, and contains all the improvements in the

art up to that time, leaving out many superfluous

dishest, and substituting others more useful.

December 25.

Mrs. MARY HARDESTER,

From Bell's Point, Baltimore;

HAS taken a house on Washington-street, near the Methodist meeting-house; and will open a School for teaching Reading and Needle-Work, on the first Monday in January; and, as she comes well recommended, and will teach at the low price of **Three Dollars** per quarter, she hopes to meet with encouragement from the public.

She will also board two or three girls, on moderate terms, and pay strict attention to their persons and morals.

December 25.

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December 2.

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N. B. Dr. Ree's Encyclopedia will

be put to press in about two weeks, those who

wish to possess this valuable work at a moderate

price, had best leave their names with the sub-

scriber as soon as possible, as the price will proba-

bly be raised after the publication of the first vo-

lume.

Robert Gray.

COUNTY of ALEXANDRIA.

November 16, 1805.

WAS taken up and committed to the jail of

this county, a Negro Lad who calls him-

self **MOSES**. He says he was born of a free wo-

man in Bladenburg, State of Maryland, and was

sold at the sale of a Mr. Ross, of Bladenburg, to

a Mr. Smith and a Mr. Green, of New Orleans,

and that he was persuaded to leave there by a

Mr. Marshall, on pretence of getting him his

freedom, and was brought to New York, and

from there sent to Alexandria, in the care of

a Mr. Spencer, until the arrival of Mr. Marshall,

who pretended to be his master, and left him in

the care of Mr. John Gadsby, of Alexandria.

The owner, if he has any, is reputed to come

and prove his property, pay charges and take him

away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the

law directs.

J. Campbell, Jailor.

November 22.

1442m

Mr. Marshall drew a draft on the

Honorable John Marshall, Chief Judge of the

United States, which was protected as a forgery,

it was in favor of some gentleman in New York,

Valuable Lands and Negroes

FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber desirous of disposing of his

valuable property, is desirous of bringing his affairs

more within his reach and management, offers for

sale the following lands and negroes, at prices re-

duced as to claim the attention of persons wish-

ing to invest money in such property, viz.

CHATHAM, that elegant and highly improved

seat on the banks of the Rappahannock River,

directly opposite the town of Fredericksburg, con-

taining about eleven hundred acres, four hundred

of which are in wood, and valuable timber, the

rest in cultivation, and pleasure grounds. The

land in tillage is level, a considerable part of it

has been highly manured, and the whole of it

well adapted to the culture of grain, small grain,

and Indian corn, as the crop now growing will

attest. The house and offices are of brick, and

on a large and handsome scale, with a garden in

front containing four acres, laid off with trees

and well planted with the choicest fruit trees,

new in full bearing, and ornamented with formal

trees and fountains of almost every description.

There is on the estate adjoining the river, a grist-

mill built of free stone, containing the modern

machinery and two pair of stones, one of them

French Burrs. It commands a large country cul-

tivation, is well situated for merchant business, and

has been for five hundred dollars per annum ex-

clusive of all the grain of the farm hopped free,

which is equal to three hundred dollars more.

There are all necessary out houses, for either con-

venience or luxury, such as ice-house, spring-

house, barn, stable, offices, &c. &c. With all

these advantages and expensive improvements, this

property is offered at a price which the land

alone ought to command. There are also some

valuable fisheries, and quarries of free stone on

this estate.

Also, a tract of land generally called Clark's,

about two miles below Chatham, on the north

bank of the Rappahannock river, and within

view of the town of Fredericksburg, containing

upwards of four hundred acres. About one hun-

dred and twenty acres of this tract is Rappahan-

nock river bottom in cultivation, and is well ad-

apted to Indian corn, small grain, &c. the re-

main is in wood, surrounding a height, which fur-

nishes a beautiful site for building.

Also, a tract of land in Stafford county, ad-

joining Stafford court house, containing upwards

of twelve hundred acres. This is good farming

land, and has several tenants on it.

Also, a tract of land in Westmoreland and

Richmond counties, containing upwards of two

thousand acres, on which there are also several

tenants. These two last mentioned tracts of land

will be sold in small tenements, or in entire tracts,

as may best suit the wishes of purchasers.

Also, a tract of land called Boyd's Hole, con-

taining about one hundred and fifty acres, on the

banks of the Potomac, in King George county,

on which there are a comfortable dwelling house,

store and tobacco inspection ware house. Few

situations combine more advantages, it being an

excellent stand for a store